

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit : 2814
Examiner: Mr. Phat X. Cao

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In re PATENT APPLICATION of



Applicants : Yasutaka SAKAINO, et al.)
Appln. No.: 09/229,628)
Filed : January 13, 1999) **AMENDMENT**
For : SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED)
CIRCUIT)
Att'y Dkt. : 32014-141666 (Formerly OKI 4646.01))

February 13, 2001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Please extend the period for responding to the Office Action of September 13, 2000 by

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two months, and thus until February 13, 2001. The requisite extension fee of \$390 is included in a
01 FC:102 80.00 CH
02 FC:103 18.00 CH
remittance that is being submitted concurrently. Should this remittance be inadvertently missing,

however, or should any additional fees be required (including additional extension-of-time fees, since Applicants hereby provisionally petition for any extensions that may be deemed necessary to avoid abandonment), the Commissioner may charge such fees to Deposit Account number 22-0261, and notify the undersigned attorney accordingly.

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